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Applicant(s): David D. Oakey

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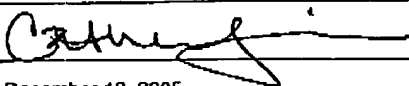
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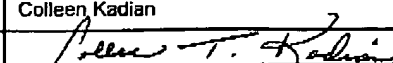
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		Filing Date	06/15/2001
		First Named Inventor	David D. Oakley
		Examiner Name	A. Phi Dieu Tran
		Art Unit	3637
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Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
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Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180
<b>Total Claims</b>	<b>Extra Claims</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>
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